

2018 Current Fiscal Year Report: Captain John Smith Chesapeake National Historic Trail Advisory Council

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1. Department or Agency

Department of the Interior

2. Fiscal Year

2018

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Captain John Smith Chesapeake National Historic Trail
Advisory Council

3b. GSA

Committee No.

34751

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

5. Current Charter

05/23/2016

6. Expected Renewal Date

05/23/2016

7. Expected Term Date

05/21/2018

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

8b. Specific Termination Authority

8c. Actual Term Date

05/21/2018

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Continue

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

Not Applicable

10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

11. Establishment Authority Authorized by Law

12. Specific Establishment Authority

National Trails System Act 16 U.S.C.1244(a) Title I,
Section 133 of Public Law 109-418

13. Effective Date

12/21/2006 Continuing

14. Committee Type

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee Non Scientific Program Advisory Board

16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this
Fiscal Year

17a. Open 1 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 1 Meetings and Dates

Purpose	Start	End
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The Council met for the purpose of discussing moving the trail forward, trail development, American Indian perspectives on the trail, what's ahead with Werowocomoco planning, and trail partner networking after the advisory council.	05/15/2018	05/16/2018
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Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 1

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$39,800.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$1,550.00	\$0.00

18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$1,140.00	\$0.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$350.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$42,840.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.20	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The purpose of the Council is to consult with the Secretary of the Interior from time to time with respect to matters relating to the trail, including but not limited to, the development of a comprehensive plan, the selection of rights-of-way, standards for the erection and maintenance of markers along the trail, and the administration of the trail.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

Members are selected from affected States thru which the trail runs, private organizations, private landowners and land users, and Federal organizations administering lands thru the trail.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

The Council will meet approximately two times a year, and at such other times as designated by the DFO.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

No other committee is relevant to this trail.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

All meetings are open to the public.

21. Remarks

In accordance with the National Trails System Act, statutory authority for the Council will terminate May 23, 2018. The Council held its last meeting May 15-16, 2018.

Designated Federal Officer

JONATHAN DOHERTY DFO

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Adkins, Wayne	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Assistant Chief	Representative Member
Anthony, J.	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Assistant Secretary Natural Resources	Representative Member
Baird, Shelly	03/22/2016	03/22/2018	Executive Director	Representative Member
Belin, H.	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Potomac Conservancy	Representative Member
Blackwood, Wade	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	American Canoe Association	Representative Member
Busby, Virginia	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Maryland Commission on Indian Affairs	Representative Member

Carothers, Patricia	03/22/2016	03/22/2018	Executive Director	Representative Member
Carr, Kurt	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Archeologist	Representative Member
Coker, Dennis	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Chief	Representative Member
Dunn, Cindy	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Secretary of Conservation and Natural Resources	Representative Member
Dunn, Joel	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	President and CEO	Representative Member
Faull, Katie	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Professor	Representative Member
Hofmann, Andy	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Refuge Complex Manager	Representative Member
Hughes, Elizabeth	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	State Historic Preservation Officer	Representative Member
Lisanti, Mary Ann	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Lower Susquehanna Heritage Greenway	Representative Member
McMullen, D.	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	President	Representative Member
Moerschel, Susan	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Delaware Dept of Parks and Recreation	Representative Member
Pencek, Bill	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Tourism Specialist	Representative Member
Platts, Mark	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	President	Representative Member
Reynolds, John	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Student Conservation Association	Representative Member
Savoy, Mervin	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Past Tribal Chair	Representative Member
Stek, Charlie	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Chesapeake Conservancy Board of Directors	Representative Member
Street, Bill	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	President	Representative Member
Swanson, Ann	03/22/2016	05/21/2018	Chesapeake Bay Commission	Representative Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 24

Narrative Description

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What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Outcome Comments

Not Applicable

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Unable to Determine

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Under \$100,000

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\$100,000 - \$500,000

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\$500,001 - \$1,000,000

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\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000

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\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000

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Over \$10,000,000

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Cost Savings Other

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Cost Savings Comments

Not Applicable

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

21

Number of Recommendations Comments

In Fiscal Year 2018, the Council met once for the last time. No new recommendations made in Fiscal Year 2018. The Council terminated May 23, 2018. In Fiscal Year 2017, the Council did not meet. A tentative meeting was scheduled for March 2017, but was cancelled prior to publication in the Federal Register due to varied scheduling conflicts. A meeting was scheduled for May 2017, which was not held based on a hold placed on FACA committee activities until a departmental review is completed. NPS did hold an informational only conference call in which NPS presented updates to the Council on Werowocomoco planning, the Multiple Property Documentation Form and the draft Foundation Document.

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

76%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

Not Applicable

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

19%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

Much of the Council's advice is for on-going projects that do not really have an end date.

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

Agency Feedback Comments

Not Applicable

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

Not Applicable

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

Grant Review Comments

Not Applicable

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

Not Applicable